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	AB	3,868,651	2/25/75	Ovshinsky	340	173	
	AC	3,983,542	9/28/76	Ovshinsky	340	173	
	AD	4,205,387	5/27/80	Ovshinsky et al.	364	900	
	AE	4,542,495	9/17/85	Ziegler et al.	369	273	
	AF	4,571,718	2/18/86	Cahill et al.	369	291	
	AG	4,577,289	3/18/86	Comerford et al.	364	900	
	AH	4,647,944	3/3/87	Gravesteign et al.	346	1.1	
	AI	4,710,899	12/1/87	Young et al.	365	113	
	AJ	4,872,156	12/3/89	Steenbergen et al.	369	275	
	AK	4,945,530	7/31/90	Sandell et al.	369	291	
	AL	4,953,209	8/28/90	Ryder, Sr. et al.	380	23	
	AM	4,960,680	12/2/90	Pan et al.	430	346	
	AN	5,060,106	10/22/91	Davis et al.	360	133	
	AO	5,063,558	11/5/91	Takahaski	369	291	
	AP	5,073,889	12/17/91	Rayner	369	291	
	AQ	5,077,726	12/31/91	Dodds et al.	369	291	
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	AU	5,150,339	9/22/92	Ueda, et al.	369	32		
	AV	5,247,575	9/21/93	Sprague et al.	380	9		
	AW	5,241,531	9/31/93	Ohno et al.	369	275.2		
	AX	5,271,978	12/21/93	Vazan et al.	428	64		
	AY	5,272,693	12/21/93	Fujisawa	369	291		
	AZ	5,280,467	1/18/94	Wagner et al.	369	275.5		
	BA	5,323,380	6/21/94	Oda et al.	369	275.1		
	BB	5,331,627	7/19/94	Childers et al.	369	291		
	BC	5,339,091	8/16/94	Yamazaki et al.	345	104		
	BD	5,379,266	1/3/95	Russell	365	234		
	BE	5,436, 871	7/25/95	Russell	365	234		
	BF	5,447,768	9/5/95	Takahashi	428	66.6		
	BG	5,465,238	11/7/95	Russell	365	234		
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	BI	5,511,035	4/23/96	Russell	365	234		
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	AP	5,581,540	12/3/96	Dang	369	291		
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	BR	5,591,501	1/7/97	Ovshinsky et al.	428	64.1		
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	BU	5,629,980	5/13/97	Stefik et al.	380	4		
	BV	5,638,241	6/10/97	Sonderegger	369	133		
	BW	5,684,785	11/4/97	Itani et al.	369	275.2		
	BX	5,654,856	8/5/97	Akiyama et al.	360	133		
	BY	5,696,714	12/9/97	Russell	365	106		
	BZ	5,703,951	12/30/97	Dolphin	380	25		
	CA	5,719,850	2/17/98	Yoshioka et al.	369	283		
	CB	5,719,972	2/17/98	Caron et al.	385	18		
	CC	5,726,971	3/10/98	Wagner et al.	369	291		
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	CG	5,757,584	5/26/98	Schick	360	99.08		
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	CK	5,768,241	6/16/98	Kanazawa et al.	369	77.2		
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	CO	5,799,157	8/25/98	Escallon	395	227		
	CP	5,808,986	9/15/98	Jewell et al.	369	44.37		
	CQ	5,812,519	9/22/98	Kawamura et al.	369	275.1		
	CR	5,828,482	10/27/98	Jain	359	211		
	CS	5,831,967	11/3/98	Otsuka et al.	369	291		
	CT	5,831,968	11/3/98	Tanaka	369	275.1		
	CU	5,838,653	11/17/98	Fan et al.	369	275.1		
	CV	5,850,384	12/15/98	Ohmori et al.	369	291		
	CW	5,835,589	11/10/98	Nakashima	360	4		
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	CZ	5,890,364	2/9/99	Raczynski	369	47		
	DA	5,876,823	3/2/99	Nagashima	428	64.1		
	DB	5,859,831	1/12/99	Naito et al.	369	291		
	DC	5,881,038	3/9/99	Oshima et al.	369	59		
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	DH	5,912,786	6/15/99	Nicklos et al.	360	99.09		
	DI	5,930,074	7/27/99	Nicklos	360	99.06		
	DJ	5,930,215	7/27/99	Fite et al.	369	58		
	DK	5,946,282	8/31/99	Hirono et al.	369	112		
	DL	5,949,601	9/7/99	Braithwaite et al.	360	60		
	DM	5,963,532	10/5/99	Hajjar	369	112		
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